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SUBJ: ECE GROUP OF RAPPORTEURS ON CUSTOMS QUESTIONS  
CONCERNING CONTAINERS, GENEVA, MARCH 24-28, 1975

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1. MISSION AWARE THAT LIMITED FUNDS AVAILABLE TO OIC FOR REPRESENTATIONAL PURPOSES AND DESIRE TO PROVIDE FOR AS MANY OF THE NUMEROUS MEETINGS AS POSSIBLE OFTEN RESULTS IN ALLOTMENT OF INSIGNIFICANT SUMS. WE BELIEVE THAT IN THESE CIRCUMSTANCES THE USEFULNESS OF REPRESENTATIONAL FUNDS IN ACHIEVING US INTERESTS WOULD BE ENHANCED BY CONCENTRATING AVAILABLE FUNDS FOR MAJOR MEETINGS. FOR EXAMPLE, WE DOUBT THAT THE \$50.00 AUTHORIZED FOR THE SUBJECT MEETING COULD BE SPENT IN A WAY WHICH WOULD HAVE MORE THAN A MARGINAL IMPACT ON OUR INTERESTS. INSTEAD, WE PROPOSE TO TURN BACK THESE FUNDS AND REQUEST THAT OIC ADD THEM TO THE AMOUNT TO BE MADE AVAILABLE FOR THE FORTHCOMING ECE PLENARY.

2. A LETTER WILL FOLLOW SPELLING OUT IN GREATER DETAIL THE MISSIONS' IDEAS ON THE EFFECTIVE ALLOCATION OF REPRESENTATIONAL FUNDS.

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